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THE OLD LETTER

Crooning over the fire with wan cheek and whitened hair,
And sad work even on the embers fixed with a dull unseeing stare
Crouching over the fire, the woman, worn and old,
With the flickering flame on her face that trembles in her hold.

Outside the sleet beats fast and thick on the unshuttered pane,
The wind sobs round the lonely house, as of sweeps the snow-clad plain.
Inside the ghosts of joy and hope, and hatred possess her still
Flit and whisper round the woman who sits beside the hearth.

Yet the magic spell of the letter has sent her fancy back,
Flying fast past all the graves that mark the past's long track,
Flying past change and sorrow, flying past wrong and ruth,
Till the heart beats fast, and the pulses thrill, to the passionate glow of youth.

No matter what her life with shame, hatred she took worth seem,
For that week hour by fate's cruelest for me ever a solace did yield.
Put to the letter, let it share the sum and taste of days.

Patient and meek take up again the burden of the day.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Mattie's Trouble.

BY HELEN FOREST GRAVES.

"Afraid must I live here always?" said Mattie Fox, despairingly, as she clasped her hands on the low ledge of the open window.

"Here" was no earthly elysium to be sure. A lonely farm house perched half way up a desolate mountain, whip-poor-wills moaning on the edge of the woods, owls hooting solemnly by the lake, mournful winds soughing through the tree-tops, like the rush of an unseen garment—all this was so different from the crowded city life to which she had been hitherto accustomed. And even as the tears of vague loneliness rose to her eyes the voices of the old farmer and his wife, in the room below, rose audibly up through the stovepipe hole, which had not yet been sealed for the summer months.

"What are you going to do with her?" said Mrs. Fox.

"We must do the best we can," said Ethan, her husband. "She's my brother's orphan daughter, and she's got no where else to go."

"And why in the name of goodness," querulously demanded Mrs. Fox, "couldn't she stay where she was, instead of rushing out here and taking us all by surprise?"

"Well," slowly answered the good farmer, "I am quite clear about all that myself, Rhoda. But as nigh as I can calculate she's been disappointed in love. She was a shop girl, Rhoda, don't you know? And it seems there was a genteel young man used to come there to buy neckties or cuffs or something of that sort. And the girl she says he was dead in love with her, and all of a sudden it came as he had another sweetheart as he was going to be married to this very next week."

"Bless and save us!" said Mrs. Fox.

While Mattie, sitting as silently as the window as if she had been frozen into stone, felt a peculiar sensation of dull curiosity to hear what would come next, as if all this were spoken about some other person, entirely indifferent to herself.

"And she is a proud girl, Mattie is," slowly went on honest Ethan. "It runs in the Foxes to be proud; and she wouldn't stay there to be pitied and made game of by the other shop girls. So she came here because she had no other place to come to, and that's all I know about it. I guess we'd better see as the doors and windys is all safe, and go to bed, for it's past 10, and them haying hands will be here afore daylight to see about cuttin' the twelve acre medder."

Mrs. Fox had a "talk" with her niece the next day.

"Mattie," said she, "I'm going to show you how to make apple pies this morning, because, if you stay here, of course you'll want to make yourself useful."

"Of course," said Mattie, listlessly.

"And as it happens, I hain't no girl," went on Mrs. Fox, "and there's the work people, and my summer boarders are coming next month."

"Summer boarders?" Mattie looked up quickly, with a red flush overspreading her cheek. She had come here for solitude, for rest, for utter isolation; and now, almost before she had unpacked her little trunk, a horde of city fashionables would be upon her. "Oh, Aunt Fox do you keep summer boarders?"

"Every summer of my life," said Mrs. Fox, briskly. "They comes in July and mostly goes away in September with the first frost. There ain't many ways for us mountain folks to earn a bit of spendin' money, you know, Mattie, and of course if you help me I expect to divide with you, square and even. And remember it's sinful to spend your time weepin' and wailin' and gnashin' your teeth for a lost beau," piously added the good woman. "There's as likely fish in the sea as come out of it, and p'raps one of the hay hands will take a shine to you—who knows?"

And thus Aunt Fox dismissed the question of her niece's heart trials.

After all, perhaps it was the best treatment that her poor, festering wounds could receive. A sharp, sudden, cauterizing a merciful cruelty! And Mattie set herself diligently, if spiritlessly, at work helping to feed the huge, hungry farm hands, to shine the glittering rows of milk pans—even to milk horned beasts, of which she was at first so nervously afraid. She learned to bake white, sweet loaves of bread, to churn butter, to raise young chickens; she gathered wild flowers, and made a rude wicker cage for a blue bird which she found with a broken wing and "treated" successfully. And she began to smile now and then, and Mrs. Fox remarked complacently "that Mattie was really quite a decent looking girl now that her color had come back a little."

But one day the mountain stage, lumbering slowly over the rough roads with its four horses and luggage covered roof, stopped at Mrs. Fox's porch, and down came the avalanche of city guests.

Mattie was straightening the muslin curtains for the upper windows, and hurriedly filling the large blue pitchers with water, when the truths were brought up.

"It's Mr. Bassett and his bride, all the way from Boston," said Aunt Fox, complacently. "Is everything ready? Because they're coming up stairs directly. And I never did see anyone dressed as genteel as she is. A regular beauty too!"

Mattie stood quite pale and silent, with the homespun towels in her hand.

"Bessett!" she repeated. "And from Boston." Oh, why, of all places in the world, did they come here?"

And the next moment the homespun towel lay like a drift of scattered snow at Mrs. Fox's feet, and Mattie was gone.

"Mercy on us!" said Mrs. Fox, stooping to recover the lavender scented treasure, "is the girl gone crazy?"

The soft crimson glow of the sunset was irradiating the lovely glen, when Harold Bassett parted the overhanging boughs with one hand, and plunged into the leafy wilderness where on one side the mossy rock rose almost perpendicularly, and on the other a brown waved black tarn, with clamorous gurgle.

"Mattie!" he exclaimed, stopping short. "Am I dreaming?"

Mattie Fox sprang angrily to her feet. Would they leave her no solitary spot of refuge? Must she be thus hunted down like a wounded deer?

For Harry Bassett was the man she had allowed herself to love; the soft natured, indolent creature who had fed her with soft glances and whispered words until—until that dark day when the other shop girls, with sidelong looks and tittering whispers, had told the story of the approaching marriage to Miss Ida Hart, the Boston heiress.

She made an involuntary movement to escape; but he placed himself directly across the narrow gateway of rock which alone afforded an egress.

No, and he firmly, yet without the lurking shadow of a smile around his lips. "You shall not leave me until you have explained all the mysteries of your sudden departure from Boston leaving behind you neither home nor address."

"I am not responsible to you!" she breathed.

"You are responsible to me!" he interrupted. "I loved you, Mattie Fox, and you knew it."

"That is simply why," cried out Mattie, "of not something worse. Go back to your bride, Mr. Bassett. It is to her ears only that you need whisper love."

The young man opened his eyes in very wide.

"Mattie, said he, what on earth are you talking about? My bride! I have no bride. I shall never have any bride but you."

"Who is the Mrs. Bassett who came to my aunt's house this morning?" gasped Mattie, marveling at the hardihood which could thus deny an absolute and apparent fact.

"Oh!" said Harold, is that what you mean? It is my brother's wife. And she and her husband are putting up their hammocks and establishing their rustic tables under the pine trees back of the farm house at the very moment. Of course I couldn't remain with them. Is not a third person always de trop when a young couple are on their wedding trip? So I came here, and I think Heaven directed my footsteps, for the very last person in the world whom I could have expected to see was you, dear Mattie."

"And you are not married?" repeated Mattie, with a great overwhelming thrill of happiness at her heart.

"No," he answered with emphasis.

"And it was your brother who was really to be married, when I believed it was you, and broke my heart over what I considered your treachery and deceit?" she pursued.

"Well it certainly was not me," declared Harold Bassett, "for now and here, at your feet, dearest, I speak the first declaration of love I ever spoke. I love you, Mattie! I have been wretched in your absence. Let me take you back to Boston with me as my treasured wife."

So Mattie, shy and beautiful as some drooping wild flower, was brought back to the farm house to be presented to the city bride and husband as Harold's engaged wife.

Mrs. Harry Bassett put up her eyeglasses and smiled condescendingly.

"Very lovely!" said she, in an audible aside voice; "and so sweetly unsophisticated! I can always tell these country rosebuds at a glance."

"But I'm not a country rosebud," said Mattie, crimsoning. "I have only been here at the farm for a few weeks. I am a shop girl, Mrs. Bassett."

The bride stared first, then simpered. "How very romantic," said she. "Exactly like a novel."

Mattie might almost have been vexed, if she had not caught the suppressed laughter in Harold's eyes.

And Aunt Rhoda declared that the Fox farmhouse had never been so lonesome as it was after Mattie went away to be a grand city lady.

"But she has promised to come back every summer," said Mrs. Fox. "She says the old farm will always be the dearest place in the world to her."

With thermometers placed at four feet and at fifty feet above the ground Mr. George Dines has obtained readings which lead him to believe that the average maximum temperature for every month is always greater and the average minimum lower near the ground than at a considerable elevation.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

SOMETHING THAT EVERYBODY CAN READ AND BE INTERESTED IN.

Shanghai, China, announces an international exhibition for 1883.

Orcone has an color similar to a spot that has been struck by lightning.

Sugar cane, when perfectly ripe, contains 16 to 18 per cent. of sugar.

Colored spots on decaying food are caused by animal or vegetable growth.

Stammering may be produced by sudden fright suffered during childhood.

Strawberries contain 5.86 per cent. of their weight of glucose, and hot-house grapes 10.37.

The Dutch polar branch of the international expedition will leave for Port Dickson on the 1st of July.

The paroxysms of those suffering from lockjaw are always more frequent and violent by day than by night.

Where birds fly very little their feathers never acquire or else lose their distinctive quill like character.

Inflammation of the middle ear, often resulting in chronic deafness, is a frequent consequence of surf bathing.

M. Tiolle has determined the boiling-point of zinc to be 953 degrees, or very near the temperature (932 degrees) given by Becquerel.

Phosphor bronze has an electric conductivity two and a half times that of iron or steel, and one third that of copper.

Researches by M. Ethard go to prove that neither highly rarified gases nor a vacuum can serve as an electrical insulator.

Dr. Elliott Coue's new list of the birds of North America mentions 800 species. Only about 500 were known in Audubon's time.

The ruby, sapphire and topaz are simply modifications of one substance, alumina, which as clay, forms a great part of the earth's surface.

Scientists now concede that parts of Kansas, the adjoining States of Missouri, Iowa and Nebraska were once covered by a fresh water lake.

The dazzling effect of the electric arc is a source of objection to its use as a locomotive headlight by the French engineers who have been trying it.

A healthy frog will remain alive for days after the whole of its blood has been withdrawn from the vessels and replaced by a solution of common salt.

Lately in London, England, a medical society obtained evidence of severe lead poisoning having been caused by the use of fashionable "hair washes."

The fragrance of violets differs widely, being influenced evidently by the season and temperature, warmth and shelter appearing most conducive to sweetness.

Workmen employed in nail manufactories are liable to contract a disease known as potter's consumption, caused by the deposit of iron particles in the cells of the lungs.

One may become so accustomed to opium as to be able to drink daily a bottle of laudanum, twenty drops of which would be a strong medicinal dose for a non-habituated person.

To prevent the hair from falling out the common application in Oriental countries is the bruised bulbs of the Arpicolus bulbosus, garlic or onions, mixed with gunpowder.

Arsenic poisoning is not always to be traced to green coloring. One case was due to red wall paper, and the substance is found abundantly in white, gray, blue, mauve and brown wall papers.

All plant organs swell and contract periodically every day. This phenomenon is due to variations in the amount of water contained at different periods during the twenty-four hours.

A great number of analyses and experiments conducted by Mr. A. Levy show that grapes ripened in sunlight contain 3.59 per cent more sugar and 1.287 less acids than those matured in darkness.

Pulmonary consumption seems to be a frequent cause of death among telegraph operators. The cause assigned is the peculiarly strained position the operator is obliged to assume in receiving messages.

The longest span of wire in the world is used for a telegraph in India, over the River Kinatnan, between Bezorah and Sectanagrum. It is more than 6000 feet long, and is stretched between two hills, each of which is 1900 feet high.

It is said that eight drops of tincture of aconite dropped on a piece of bread and mixed with the food at night, and next morning four drops more given in the same manner will generally complete the cure of garget in cows.

A solution of chloride of lime, camphor and glycerine is recommended as a disinfectant, but it is difficult to see how it can take the place of other very efficient and cheaper agents now in the market, which leave no smell whatever.

Ants have been known to build mud stables, where aphides are kept as milch cows. Being fond of a milky fluid which exudes from two tubes on the bodies of the aphides, they rub the tubes with their antennæ to produce a flow of milk.

Experiments have shown that firing with a nine inch twelve-ton gun at armor plating three and four inches thick, representing a deck of a vessel inclined between ten degrees and fifteen degrees, in no instance caused penetration, although full charges were used.

A remarkable cloud, observed in Guatemala during eight consecutive days of last February, was found to consist of seeds floating in the air. The stream of particles resembled snowflakes in appearance, and was only visible when between the observer and the sun.

M. Trave discovers that the flame of a lamp appears brighter and a vertical shaft is seen more distinctly through a vertical than a horizontal slit. But a house, landscape or the disc of the sun or moon is more clearly seen through a horizontal slit. He finds like differences in photographs, according as the light passes from the object through a vertical or a horizontal slit.

A writer in the *Lancet* says that boracic acid two drams, glycerine half an ounce, and water half an ounce, well mixed and applied freely to the fauces every hour, and less frequently when the dangerous symptoms show signs of abating will prove of advantage in treating diphtheria. The application must not be discontinued too abruptly, or the deposit will re-form.

M. Arthur Morin, of Paris, states that experiments continued for a number of years by garrisoned cavalry regiments in various parts of France have proved that horses are healthier and stronger when kept in stables with doors and windows open night and day in all seasons than where they are kept shut. Similar observations have been made in stables containing large numbers of cattle, which are by good ventilation relieved from epidemic affections of the respiratory organs.

A new method of preserving meat is to cause the heart of the animal to pump boracic acid into the tissues. For example, a sheep is stunned by the blow, and blood being withdrawn from the left jugular vein, a strong solution of boracic acid, kept at blood heat, is injected. The heart of the still living animal quickly pumps the antiseptic fluid into all parts of the body, and the sheep is then killed by the butcher in the usual way. The cost is slight, and the meat thus treated will keep several weeks in the heat of summer.

FARM AND BENCH.

INTERESTING NOTES ABOUT THE FARM AND WORKSHOP CULLED FROM OUR EXCHANGES

For Hungarian one bushel of seed, forty eight pounds, is the proper quantity for sowing an acre of ground.

In Cheshire, England, extraordinary results have been attained in the application of half-inch bones to poor upland pastures.

The sugar beet forms starch in its leaves, but in the leaf stalk this is converted into grape sugar, and into cane sugar in the chief portion in which it is stored up.

Dalrymple, the great wheat farmer of Dakota has sold 40,000 worth of his land to George Howe, of Bradford, Pa. Dalrymple found it necessary to decrease his acreage in order to farm it effectually.

Algerian wheat planted in Bohemia and Austria is said to give very satisfactory results, yielding more largely than other varieties. It is a hard variety, and yields annual twenty five bushels per acre.

According to the Government return there was imported into Canada in 1881 $919,197 worth of flour and $453,235 worth of cornmeal, compared with $5-14,-6-6 worth of flour in 1880, and $419,983 worth of cornmeal.

Breeders of Herefords claim for their favorites that they are among the most hardly of all breeds of cattle, and thus are particularly adapted for countries where it is impossible to take special care of cattle through the winter.

In selecting pants for out-of-door work, the lighter colors should be preferred in point of durability, though at present fashion dictates the darker tints. The dark colors absorb the sun's rays and occasion earlier decay of the material painted.

To make a cement for stoves take iron filings and mix to about the consistency of putty for glazing with white lead and linseed oil. Fill in the joints as securely as possible when the stove is cold, and let it stand a day or two before using.

By growing deeply-rooted crops as part of a rotation the subsoil is made to contribute to the general fertility. Shallow-rooted crops, on the other hand, have generally a special faculty for appropriating food accumulated at the surface.

The blacksmith often injures the woodwork of a carriage by tilting his irons when too hot. If the wood burns ever so little, it weakens it, and if a joint is near the latter it is sure to open. A blacksmith who cannot fit an iron without depending upon its burning its way down should never be allowed to work at the forge.

The average of German observations show that the annual yield of milk rises gradually from the birth of the first calf till the fifth, reaches its maximum after the sixth, sinks gradually till after the tenth calf, when it is about the same as at the first calving, and after the thirteenth or fourteenth calf is only one-fourth or one fifth of the maximum yield.

The secret of raising winter squashes is to plant them late. When maggots get into the vines the only way to save the crop is to cover the vine about six inches deep with earth. Burying the worm kills it, and does not hurt the vines. The Crescent strawberry is the best variety for all purposes. The way to get rich in farming is to keep down weeds and use plenty of manure.

Farm manures contain all, while commercial fertilizers may contain only a portion of the ingredients which plants use for food. But if a farmer were to find it profitable to apply large quantities of phosphates to his fields, as is often the case, he would probably secure that material more cheaply by purchasing a superphosphate or bone meal, than by getting horse manure from city stables at large expense.

Probably there is no crop so profitable for soiling purposes as corn fodder. It should be sown at different times to keep up a succession until cold weather. Oats and then barley may be sown earlier than is proper for corn to be sown. The larger growing varieties of sweet corn are best for this purpose; this crop affords a profitable supply of cars for market or home use, and an abundant growth of fodder for the milch cows.

RELIGIOUS ITEMS.

THAT WILL PLEASE THE GOOD AND GIVE THE WICKED A CHANCE FOR REFLECTION.

God buries the worker but carries on the work.

The consciousness of duty performed gives us music at midnight.—George Herbert.

What we charitably forgive will be recompensed as well as what we charitably give.

So act that your principle of action would bear to be made a law for the whole world.—Kant.

The chief luther may forget Joseph's kindness, but the Lord will not forget any kindness shown to him or his.

He who reigns within himself and rules passions, desires and fears, is more than a king.—Milton.

The ocean is not more full of water than God is of mercy toward those who fear him and keep his commandments.

Cowardice asks, Is it safe? Expediency asks, Is it politic? Vanity asks, Is it popular? But conscience asks, Is it right?

If you are seeking the comforts of religion rather than the glory of our Lord, you are on the wrong track. The Comforter meets us unsought in the path of duty.

Peter and his companions toiled all night in vain; and no wonder, since they toiled consciously without Christ. And deserting Christians may take their failure as a warning.

There are Philistines among us who treat religion as the old Philistines treated the ark; they take it captive, and make a parade of it a little while and send it beyond their borders.

Good ground, good seed, good weather and a good crop, prove that we have a good God; but a good heart, good purposes, good works and a good end, prove that we have a gracious God.

It has been said that all the discomforts and troubles we experience in the service of God arise from forgetfulness of that divine injunction which bids you both "to abound and to suffer need."

"The virtue of paganism is strength; the virtue of christianity is obedience." As obedience is simply conformity of increasing strength, while strength unconsecrated to service soon turns to weakness.

Just in proportion as a man becomes good, divine, Christ-like, he passes out of the religion of theorizing; of system-building, and hireling service into the religion of beneficent activities. It is well to think well; it is divine to act well.—Horace Mann.

God feeds the wild flowers on the lonely mountain side without the help of man, and they are as fresh and lovely as those that are daily watched over in our gardens. So God can feed his own planted ones without the help of man, by the sweetly falling dew of his spirit.

When a piece of metal is coined with the king's stamp, and made current by his edict, no man can presume either to refuse it in payment, or to abate the value of it. So God having stamped his image upon every man how precious would he have him be in our eyes.

It was a saying of Dr. Sharpe, of Boston, that a man who doubts and only half believes, does not believe at all. One cannot believe a thing and have the least doubt about its truth. Belief is equivalent to knowledge. A man cannot believe a thing which he is not wholly convinced is true. "I know that my redeemer liveth," is the frame of mind in which we should approach the great truths of the gospel.

Never tell a child under six years old to conceal anything, though it were a pleasure you were planning for some one you love. The clear sky of a child-like open-heartedness must not be covered even by the morning glow of shame; and your instructions will soon teach him to add secrets of his own to yours. The heroic virtue of silence requires for his practice the powers of ripening reasoning. Reason teaches us to be silent, the heart teaches us to speak.—Richter.

"Take a mass of quicksilver, let it fall on the floor, and it will split into a vast number of distinct globules. Gather them up and put them together again, and they will coalesce into one body as before. Thus God's elect below are sometimes crumbled, and distinguished into various parties, though they are all, in fact, members of one and the same mystic body. But when taken up from the world, and put together in heaven, they will constitute one glorious, undivided church for ever and ever."

I have tried the gospel, I have put it to the proof. I know what it is and what it can do. Tell me that food does not strengthen the weak; tell me that water does not refresh the weary; tell me that light does not cheer the disconsolate, and then you may tell me that the gospel does not help when all other help fails; and then you may tell me that the gospel is not the thing above all other things with which man cannot afford to part. Man might better give up the sun than quench that light which was brought from heaven, that light which cheers the home and dispels the darkness of the tomb.—Bishop Stanley.

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THE McKEAN MINER.

Smethport, Pa., June 1, 1882.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
GENERAL JAMES A. BEAVER.
For Lieut.-Governor,
W. T. DAVIES,
of Bradford County.
For Supreme Judge,
WILLIAM HENRY RAWLE,
of Philadelphia.
For Secretary of Internal Affairs,
CHARLES M. GREER,
of Butler.

LAST Wednesday during a roll call in the House of Representatives, Congressman Walker of this district fell to the floor from a slight attack of vertigo. He soon recovered after being conveyed to the speaker's room.

IN compliance with a resolution of the Republican State Committee, Monday Chairman Cooper issued a call for the Republican State Convention, held at Harrisburg May 10th, to reconvene at the same place on Wednesday, June 21, 1882, at 12 o'clock M., to nominate a candidate for Congressman-at-Large.

OVER production and very heavy importations have created a decline in the iron and steel markets, and consequently had a depressing effect upon one of our great industries. It is to be hoped the depression will be only temporary and that the large number of unemployed men in the business will find steady work.

THE Republicans of Warren county held their convention on Monday and nominated the following ticket: W. B. Beaubier for State Senate, C. M. Short for Assembly, E. A. Allen for Sheriff, J. A. Weible for Prothonotary and A. M. Parker for Jury Commissioner. Nearly all the Congressional delegates are for Representative L. F. Watson. The meeting was largely attended and very enthusiastic.

ATTORNEY GENERAL BREWSTER appeared personally in the Star route cases in Washington last week, and while addressing the court in reply to a request on the part of the defendant's for a delay, gave notice that it was the intention of the Government to press for speedy trials in these cases, that it was now nearly a year since they were first commenced, and it was the earnest determination of the Government to press these trials with as much speed as the convenience of the court will permit.

AND now Mitchell is "boss," or rather he wanted to be "boss" and have his friend Herrick nominated for Governor, but when Wharton Baker, a bigger "boss," sat down upon him, he got mad, sulked and announced that his Senatorial duties would prevent his taking part in the work of the campaign. The story is told to Democratic papers this morning in dispatches from Washington. It is a little late for the dispatches, as the *Telegraph* published the fact last Thursday, but its source indicates the "fact" the junior Senator must be in over the failure of his little game. *Harrisburg Telegraph.*

IF the formal arrangements can be completed, the national debt will be reduced this month in a singular and probably unprecedented manner. Five years ago an eccentric millionaire, named Joseph L. Lewis, died in New York, leaving a fortune of about one million dollars, the bulk of which, to the infinite disgust of his relatives, he bequeathed to the federal government, with a direction that it was to be used in paying off the public debt. Of course the will was contested and the litigation would probably have still been going on had not congress passed an act authorizing the secretary of the treasury to compromise. The contestants were accordingly bought off, and after the payment of all claims, including the expense of the litigation, there remains the comfortable sum of $900,000 to be covered into the public treasury which will be done by the simple but efficacious process of cancelling the called six per cent. bonds in which the money is invested.

EVERY female heart must gently and feelingly palpitate for the fate of the unhappy Princess Beatrice. She was tenderly attached to the Prince Imperial; he was kindly killed by the Zulus. She has long cherished a loving feeling for her brother-in-law, and would be willing to take charge of her dead sister's children, but the laws of England forbid marriage with a deceased wife's sister; and, now, after just being on the point of marrying the eldest son of the Landgrave of Hesse, the cable announces that the engagement is officially "denied." "Broken off" would be the truth more nearly, but "official" utterances are couched in courtly language. The Queen watches the princess as the superior of a convent does a nun, and now after this third little disappointment the guard will doubtless be doubled. If the unfortunate lady lived in America, there are grave reasons to think that an elopement in high life would occur before long.

NOT A CANDIDATE.

ALLEGED INTENTION OF SENATOR CAMERON TO RETIRE FROM POLITICAL LIFE.

The following appeared in the New York *Herald* yesterday as a dispatch from Philadelphia: It has been stated to your correspondent here this evening, on the authority of an intimate personal friend of Senator Donald Cameron, that he is not a candidate for re-election to the United States senate, and that no contingency at present foreseen could induce him to again accept that high place. My informant is positive in his statement, and declares that the senator's feelings in the matter is known to all his social intimates. The reasons assigned are vague, but are alleged to rest somewhat on the tremendous expense attending party leadership in Pennsylvania. This statement regarding Senator Cameron's desire to retire from national politics is in strict harmony with his recent acts, for it is well known that he has not been interesting himself in the legislative candidates who will be voted for at the coming election and all of whom will have a voice in the choice of the next senator. It has been reasonably argued for several weeks back that if he desired to be his own successor he would be already at work selecting his friends for the legislature of 1884-5.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 30, 1882.

The Democrats have been giving us another taste of filibustering tactics, and so far as can be learned it is not likely to prove a very profitable experiment. The proceeding called filibustering often serves a useful purpose, but it is also often abused. By it a minority may resist the passage of a bill without debate and secure from the majority the right to speak on it and time to expose to the country what they believe to be its bad features. On more than one occasion in past Congresses when the minority was numerically weak such resistance has been effectively made, and by attracting the attention of Congress and the country to a bad measure has insured its defeat. Near the close of a Congress filibustering has been used to resist the passage of a measure by the majority, as happened when the Democrats filibustered against an appropriation bill during the Hayes administration and made an extra session necessary, which was disastrous to them. Another instance was the prolonged filibustering in the house against the Force bill, when the House sat forty-four hours continuously, and the bill was delayed there until it was too late in the session to make its passage by the Senate possible.

There is no justification or excuse for the course pursued by the minority in this case. Contested election cases are and ought to be privileged questions. In the present Congress, as in the last also, the contested cases have been greatly and shamefully delayed. They should have been bought up and settled long ago, and they ought to be decided now without unnecessary delay. Each case ought to be sufficiently debated to enable both sides to show their claims both to the House and the country. Thereupon, if the majority chooses to do injustice, the minority have their appeal to the country at the following election that is all they can rightfully ask. To resist discussion and the taking of the vote wastes time and does no good, and if the Democrats persist in it they will injure themselves with the country, for they will engage in a disorderly proceeding. The claim that injustice would be done by seating Mackey is utterly groundless. Injustice has already been done in keeping him out till this time of a seat to which he was unquestionably elected, and the Democrats dare not accept his challenge to let the case come before the House for debate. This is just what they fought hardest to prevent.

The Postmaster General has lately given his views on the proposition to abolish the postage on newspapers and magazines. He says that about $1,500,000 annual revenue is derived from this source, and to make newspapers and magazines free will of course increase the deficiency to that extent. The deficiency for the year ended June 30, 1881, was $2,481,129. Mr. Howe believes that the saving effected under the new contracts in the star route service will nearly cover this deficiency. The increase in business, however, will increase the cost of handling the mails and transporting them by rail. For this reason it can scarcely be expected that the service will be entirely self-supporting for some time to come. Last year the net profit in twelve States and one Territory was $4,892,249, in the remaining States and Territories the net loss was $7,501,127. Letters are carried at a profit, merchandise is carried at a heavy loss. Mr. Howe thinks that if the people are to be taxed for mail service, it is better that they should pay for the free distribution of newspapers and magazines than for transporting packages of merchandise from the Eastern cities to Arizona and other remote places. He regards the diffusion of intelligence as of more importance than the carrying of four-pound parcels to places where the express companies cease to complete, and for this reason he recommends the abolition of postage on second class matter.

Somebody has just been giving a touching account of Mr. Attorney General Brewster's ruffles. It says that the dainty ruffles at his wrists have often been noticed, because unusual in man's attire, but no one seems to understand the beautiful sentiment which for forty years has prompted him to wear them, in spite of unpleasant remarks. When he was first assuming the fogy cuffle, his mother, whose name he cannot even now mention without emotion, called him to her and asked him to grant a request of hers. She then explained that her father, whom she had always venerated, and who was a very distinguished divine, had always worn ruffled shirts, and she would like her son, for whom she anticipated an equally brilliant future as a lawyer, to wear ruffles in memory of his grandsire. She said she would not require him to wear them on the bosom of his shirt, as that would be very conspicuous, since ruffles had been so long out of fashion for men's apparel, but she thought that at the wrists they were becoming to a man's hand; so she wished to make some herself and put them on her son's shirts. He acceded to her request, and for some years she always made his ruffles for him. He has worn them always since, and thus his ruffled shirts became an exponent not only of his love for his mother, but of hers for her father. The Attorney General's odd yellow-wheeled carriage created so much talk that he abandoned its use and lately drives a fine new one.

JUNIUS.

An Austrian paper recently gave the result of an analysis of a sample of the bread supplied to the Russian troops in Bulgaria. The examination was carefully made and revealed the presence of 19 per cent. of sawdust and 14 per cent. of sand. Here is a chance for the health reformers to point to the splendid physique of the Russian troops and base thereon an argument for the incorporation in flour of the mineral and fibrous substances which the Grahamites make so much of.

THE JEANNETTE.

FOUR SURVIVORS OF HER CREW LAND AT NEW YORK.

The steamer Celtic, with four survivors of the Jeannette expedition, Lieutenant Danenhower, Dr. Newton Newcomb, Charles Fon Ling and Jack Cole, was signalled Sunday morning, and a steamer with their friends went down the bay to meet her. The meeting between Lieutenant Danenhower and his parents was very affecting. After congratulations the lieutenant conducted his weeping parents to his cabin where he introduced them to his fellow passengers. The party remained aboard the Celtic listening to the recital of the dreadful sufferings in the far north and the sorrowful tale of the fate of Commander DeLong and his men until the steamer reached her dock, when Lieutenant Danenhower was surrounded by congratulatory friends who had gathered in anticipation of his coming to give him a hearty welcome. For an hour he was engaged in shaking hands and answering personal inquiries.

POOR JACK COLE.

While this was going on on the upper deck a far different scene was presented in a small cabin below. There, with his arms pinioned behind him, was poor Jack Cole, boatswain of the Jeannette. His brother Thomas, and his son John were soon with him and the unfortunate man immediately recognized them, affectionately greeting both, but immediately after speaking to his son his mind again wandered and he seemed to be far away struggling with the bitter fate that threatened him. He will be sent to an asylum. Danenhower is confident that proper treatment will restore him in a few months. It was necessary to bind him, as the slightest thing made him frantic. Danenhower was not prepared to talk about the voyage. "There will be a thorough searching examination," said he, "and then the people can see how the matter stands. So far as suffering is concerned we did suffer terribly. Some say I will lose the sight of both eyes. I hope not. The left one is almost entirely blind but the other seems all right at present."

KNOWLES MELVILLE.

In answer to questions as to his views on Engineer Melville, Lieutenant Danenhower earnestly said: "Please say for me that I never used the language in the sense ascribed to me, derogatory of Melville. Say that I consider him a brave man and an honorable gentleman, who suffered with us. The attack on him was unjust and cowardly especially in his absence. He did all in his power and did that well. I regret exceedingly that anything touching his fair name should have been said, for it was undeserved. It was unjust both to him and myself. Wait until the examination comes, wait till Melville comes home and has a chance to speak." Dr. Newton Newcomb, who accompanied the expedition as naturalist, was very indignant over the treatment of Melville, and termed it cowardly, mean, and deserving the highest censure. Lieutenant Danenhower said of the lost crew that possibly small portions of their last might be found, but that was all.

GUITEAU'S LAST DAYS

A DISCOMFITTED CLERGYMAN. TWO VISITORS OF THE CONDEMNED MAN.

Only two ministers have asked for the privilege of talking with Guiteau since his conviction. One of these divines was the colored Baptist from Virginia who so successfully prayed with the assassin several weeks ago. The other was a long haired gospel expounder from the far West, who walked gravely into Guiteau's cell, accompanied by a guard, and, in a severe tone, began: "Mr. Guiteau, are you prepared for futurity, and are you—"

"Don't discuss that matter, sir," rejoined Guiteau, sharply and quickly. "I know more about the question of futurity than you can probably tell me."

"Oh, you do?"

"Yes, sir, therefore abandon it while you are in here."

And the preacher abandoned the subject and evacuated the cell forthwith.

Day before yesterday a young lady of this city, who is a confirmed invalid, requested permission to visit Guiteau. Her request was granted by Warden Crocker, and, supported by two ladies, she entered the doomed man's cell. The scene was a striking one. There, facing each other, stood two human beings, both of them on the brink of eternity, one the victim of disease, the other a condemned assassin. The young lady opened the conversation, and, after conversing for awhile on "unseen things above," she turned to Guiteau, as the party turned to go, and said: "Mr. Guiteau, God grant that we may meet in heaven—our days are short upon this earth."

Guiteau, visibly affected, tremulously said: "I will, miss; I am going to heaven; there is no doubt in my mind about that, and I'll meet you there."

Another Lie Nailed

Chairman Cooper emphatically denies that Senator Cameron used the language attributed to him during the conference in Philadelphia on Sunday, regarding his future course in the United States Senate in reference to tariff measures. Mr. Cooper said:

"Senator Cameron never made such a threat. I heard the words from which the report probably sprung. Senator Cameron may have said that if he were like other people, he might do such a thing. All the reputations the Camerons have made, springs from their support of the tariff. He did say, 'If the Republican party goes down, the tariff goes down too.' Turning to me, he said: 'Senator Cooper, don't you think that is true? But the party won't go down. It will rally with great interests depending upon it.' 'Why, Senator Cooper continued,' 'it would have been madness for Cameron to say what has been attributed to him. He wasn't going to drive those people away from him. This is substantially what he did say. I have been assured by numbers of leading Republican Senators and members of Congress that the result of this struggle in Pennsylvania is watched with the greatest interest everywhere. They have volunteered to come to Pennsylvania this fall and aid in the election of General Beaver, because they believe, from the tactics of Democratic party, that Democrats will make the result of this fight the basis of their work in the Presidential campaign of 1884. Some gentlemen would have you believe," Senator Cameron continued, "that this fight is between Cameron and anti-Cameron. Don't believe anything of the kind. It will be either a Republican or a Democratic victory. If a Democratic victory, the tariff goes down, and with it the banking and commercial interests of the State, if a Republican victory, these interests will be more fully established than ever. I ask you, gentlemen, to drop all little things, and fight on this one issue alone. There can be but one of two results, a Democratic or a Republican victory. It is not Cameron or anti-Cameron, boss or anti boss, or anything else but Republican or Democratic victory. I hope you will all realize this now, because we all shall realize it before this fight is over. 'Those,' said Mr. Cooper, 'are his words as I remember them, and I have omitted no essential point.

Preventive to Consumption.

Based on Pasteur's experiments for the prevention of splenic fever, by the inoculation of the modified virus, to oppose the spread of the disease in animals, the investigations of Koch, of Berlin, are just announced in regard to a preventive for consumption. This being the prevalent and fatal disease of our temperate climates any remedy discovered at once develops the most lively interest. Professor Tyndall has taken pains to father the discovery in a letter to the London *Times*, wherein he sums up the result of Koch's experiments. The latter holds that consumption is due to parasites, which fasten on and multiply in the substance of the lungs. These are named bacilli. He inoculated guinea pigs with three parasites freshly taken from diseased human lungs. They all showed evident existence of the infection. One died after thirty two days and three were killed, in which tubercular disease was strongly manifested in spleen, liver and lungs. Cultivated bacilli, which had been bred and reared through several generations, showed like results. Cats, mice, reptiles and other animals were similarly affected by the inoculation. The eyes of animals were inoculated, as well as other parts of the body followed by the same unmistakable production of tuberculosis. Koch notes the degrees of temperature most favorable for the fruitfulness of the bacilli, as ranging between 86 degrees and 101 degrees Fahrenheit. He finds that the tubercle bacilli do not flourish outside of animal warmth, whereas the bacillus anthracis of splenic fever has no trouble in keeping up an existence outside of the animal body. The matter expectorated from consumptive lungs swarms with these parasites. Drying the sputa does not destroy their vitality. These reduced to particles and inhaled with ordinary air form a dangerous source of the disease. The idea is to produce modified bacilli, by repeated inoculation, which may become equally reliable in preventing consumption as the vaccine virus is in warding off smallpox. The discovery is certainly one of the greatest of modern times, providing it shall succeed, as hoped for, in the experiments already tried, in preventing one-seventh of the mortality to which the human race has been doomed by consumption.

GENERAL NOTES

The indications are that the wheat crop in Michigan this year will exceed that of 1880 by 1,000,000 bushels.

The estimated decrease in the public debt for the month of May is about $10,000,000, being less than usual on account of heavy pension payments during the month.

There are heavy forest fires near East Tawas, Mich. The air is filled with smoke and cinders and much difficulty is experienced in saving farm buildings. Unless rain comes soon great damage will ensue.

The *Herald's* Washington special of the 28th ult., says there is no truth in the story that Van Hise of New Jersey has been requested to hang Guiteau. The execution is to be under the supervision of Warden Crocker, who has had ample experience.

The *Mail's* Washington special says that John I. Davenport, who has been in Maryland for two months trying to discover the author of the Morey letter, today received letters which show conclusively that his man is found, and will beg for terms. Davenport says the man lives in Cumberland.

The largest sale of tobacco that has ever been made in this country, or perhaps the world, was concluded several days ago in New York. An Italian contractor representing the Italian Government Bureau or Tobacco *Regie* purchased 12,244 hogsheads of leaf tobacco at the rate of $130 a hogshead, so that the bill amounted to $1,836,600.

Milton Clifford, of Lancaster Landing, Ill., whose wife bore twins, strangled and buried them with the cradle. He then left his wife alone in a critical condition several hours, when he related what he did, expressing the hope that his wife would be dead when he returned. He then fled. A large force is scouring the country in search of him.

The increase in the receipts from internal revenue for May, compared with the same month last year, is $1,560,864; the receipts for the eleven months ended today, $133,740,318, an increase for the eleven months of $10,222,000. The receipts for May were $16,347,273, being more than was collected in any one month since the bulk of the war tax was abolished.

President Love of the Indian Commission and a large number of members of the commission called upon Secretary Teller in Washington, and formally thanked him for the position he has taken on the Indian question, but more especially with regard to his recommending the disarming of the Indians and a practical treatment which will tend to prevent Indian wars. The severalty question was discussed. The longest limit ever mentioned in connection with a severalty bill as a restriction upon alienation of land by Indians is twenty-five years. This period quickly passes in dealing with a problem of such magnitude and at the end of the limit the Secretary thought the Indians will still be unable to cope with the whites and would be swindled out of their land. Ex-Gov. Morgan said such had always been the case in Kansas.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Auditors Report.

M. A. Sprague, Treasurer Smethport borough in account with

ROAD FUND. Dr.

To bal due from ex-Treasurer Burlingame as per last audit	$ 179 56
To am't of tax received from collector F. G. Richmond dup. 1881	1373 99
To am't of dog tax received from collector F. G. Richmond dup. 1881	30 00
To share licenses	14 00
To fines received from Justices	27 65
To am't received from sale of bonds	2300 00
	$ 3913 99

Cr.

By orders taken up and cancelled	$2470 99
By Treasurers commission on $2470 99 at 5 per cent	60 34
By bal due fund from Treasurer Sprague	104 65
By bal due fund from ex-Treasurer Burlingame	170 00 3913 99

Same in account with

BOND FUND. Dr.

To bal due from ex-Treasurer Burlingame	243 65
To am't received from F. G. Richmond collector 1881	236 00

Cr.

By bond No. 16 redeemed	$ 100 00
By interest on bonds 16 and 19 bond	11 00
By Treasurers commission on $115 00 at 5 per cent	2 34
By bal due fund from Treasurer Sprague	122 36
By bal due fund from ex-Treasurer Burlingame	243 65 469 35

OUTSTANDING BONDS.

Issue of July 15, 1873	$ 300 00
Interest coupons due on same	9 00
Issue of February 1, 1882	2700 00
	$ 3009 00

Overseers of Poor in account with POOR FUND. Dr.

To bal due the fund from H. L. Barlingame as per last audit	$ 94 31
To bal due the fund from F. Kerns as per last audit	170 36
To bal due the fund from A. Shuttleworth as per last audit	112 90
To am't collected Supervisor 1881	1665 87
To amount of Judgment recovered against Eldred township in the case of Henry Mullin	39 42
	$ 2082 86

Cr.

By exonerations allowed on duplicate	$ 20 74
By collection commission on $1647 96 at 5 per ct	81 65
By E. G. Brown M. D. amount of his judgment sign of district	300 00
Hugh Gibson boarding Miner	121 19
Jas. Connolly "	51 85
Dr. Gladding for "	10 00
By J. K. Hyde boarding Nix	96 00
By W. m. Pratt "	30 00
By James Hussey "	21 37
By making fire "	7 50
By Mary M. Bernard boarding Mrs. Alexander	130 00
By H. L. McCoy M. D. services to Alexander	245 10
Sprout for "	6 00
By John Mahon boarding Hall Mullin	33 75
By A. H. Pierce boarding Hall Mullin	7 00
By J. Kerns repairs carriage for moving H. Mullin into 3 Street Up	10 00
By Mrs. A. M. Gallup boarding Richard Flynn	10 00
By Mrs. Agnes King boarding Dick Mullin	10 00
By A. H. Pierce boarding county jurors	7 50
By Jas. Lee's fees	8 00
By A. H. Armstrong drugs	36 85
By printing	1 00
By T. A. Morrison legal services	31 00
By F. Kerns services as overseer 1881	30 00
By A. Shuttleworth services as overseer 1881	15 00
By bal due fund from H. L. Barlingame	24 31
By bal due fund from Frank Kerns	691 36
By bal due fund from A. Shuttleworth	44 14 2082 86

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The following words (with a thousand others too numerous to mention) are all easy to spell and the articles represented by each word can always be found at Sprague's One Price Hardware store, and at a lower price for the same quality of goods than at any other place in the part of the State. No calling of prices on articles you don't know the cost of. I never learned to use the phrase, "Nothing to you, you can have it for so much," &c. I will not be understood, "but then I you forget it."

Axes,	Hinges,	Ladders,	Screws,
Adzes,	Inch covers,	Latches,	Sand,
Augers,	Egg beaters,	Lanterns,	Screens,
Awls,	Elbows,	Levels,	Scythes,
Axle Grease,	Escutcheons,	Locks,	Shovels,
Alabastine,	Eyes,	Locksets,	Shovels,
Brushes,	Fishing tackle	Lemon Squeezers,	Silverware,
Bells,	Faucets,	Mallets,	Skates,
Books,	Forks,	Members,	Sleds,
Boxes,	Frescoware,	Matches,	Squares,
Braces,	Fingers,	Measures,	Spade,
Brackets,	Gimlets,	Mops,	Sticks,
Brooms,	Glue,	Nails,	Sap Spouts
Bits,	Grindstones,	Nuts,	Saws,
Butts,	Gun caps,	Oils,	Toilet Ware,
Bird Cages,	Gauges,	Odors,	Teeth,
Bicycles,	Halters,	Openers,	Tacks,
Bed Cords,	Hose,	Oars,	Traps,
Bed Casters,	Hammers,	Pails,	Tubs,
Chairs,	Hangers,	Pokers,	Trowels,
Crow Bars,	Hasps,	Pistols,	Tweezers,
Cartridges,	Hinges,	Plows,	Wheelbarrows,
Chains,	Hooks,	Pipes,	Willow ware,
Catches,	Hooks,	Peppers,	Warmers,
Coffee Mills,	Hand pads,	Powder,	Whips,
Coolers,	Ice tools,	Pullers,	Well Buckets,
Clamps,	Iron,	Premium,	Wheelbarrows,
Compasses,	Knives,	Paints,	White Lead,
Cutlery,	Keys,	Mops,	Wrenches,
Curry Combs,	Knives,	Rakes,	Wingers,
Cleavers,	Kettles,	Hammers,	Wool Twine,
Chalked Lines,	Lamps,	Rivets,	Wire Cloth
Copper Ware,	Lamp Shades,	Rules,	Window Glass,
Draw Shaves	Lamp Chimneys,	Saws,	Zinc,

P. S.—I have one of the Best Tinners in the State.
M. A. Sprague.

H. W. RUBIN,

Dealer in

Gold and Silver Watches.

—JEWELRY AND SILVERWARE.—

Having employed a first-class Watchmaker and Engraver, I am now prepared to do all manner of

ENGRAVING,

and such work as belongs to the trade.

ALL WORK WARRANTED

I have also on hand a fine assortment of

LADIES' AND GENTS'

FURNISHING GOODS.

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Monumental, Marble and Stone Work Done to Order

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For the benefit of those who PAY CASH and get great bargains in all kinds of

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Family Groceries,

PROVISIONS, ETC.

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HAMS, BUTTER & EGGS ALWAYS BOUGHT AND SOLD.

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All kinds of Job Work done at this office.

L. M. RAUB,

Surgeon Dentist,

Bolivar, Alleg. Co. N. Y.

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WITHOUT PAIN.

By the use of Dr. Von Bonhorst's Anesthetic and gas.

Twenty-three years of continued and successful practice warrants me in promising full satisfaction.

Parties wishing dental services at the homes can be accommodated promptly by dropping me a postal card.

Will be at Smethport

At the Wright House

Tuesday, March 21, 1882

BEATTY'S ORGANS 27 stops, in neat walnut case only $65. PIANOS $125 up. Have highest recommends. Beauty, Write or call on BEATTY, Washington, N. J. 39-17

THE McKEAN MINER.

Smethport, Pa., June 1, 1882.

Important Newspaper Decisions.

A postmaster is required to give notice by letter or by returning a paper that he does not wish to take it, and state the reason for his not having taken, and a neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publishers for the payment.

Any one who takes a paper from the post office whether directed to his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the pay.

If a person orders his paper discontinued he must pay all arrearages, or the publishers may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it be taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discrimination until the payment is made.

If a subscriber orders his paper to be stopped at a certain time and the publisher continues to send it, the subscriber is bound to pay for it, if he takes it out of the post office. The law pre-supposes a fraud in the case which can only be explained by the payment.

The courts have decided that refusing to take periodicals and neglecting to call from the post office or removing and leaving them uncalled for, is prima facia evidence of intentional fraud.

HERE AND HEREABOUTS.

June 1, 1882.

Look out for June bugs.

This is a rather dull week for a license court.

R. B. Stone, of the *Star*, was a caller at the MINER office this week.

The A. N. Taylor estate has been equally divided up among the heirs.

A fine line of window brackets and flower pots just received at Mason's.

Decoration day services were observed generally throughout the county.

The fountains in the Court House square will soon be in running condition.

Mr. Hiram Leisure is doing Bolivar.

Quite a number of applicants for license this week had red noses in full bloom.

Strawberries made their appearance in the market last week. They did look so nice.

Goods purchased of L. W. Mason will be delivered to any part of the city free of charge.

The atmosphere feels as though we were nearer the north pole than ever the Jeannette was.

Seth Gifford has replenished his mill pond with logs and is now running his mill at full blast.

What is the use of paying 40 cents for a hoe when you can get a solid steel hoe at Mason's for 35 cents?

Mason has a small stock of stone, wooden and tin churns which he will sell at reduced prices.

Mrs. S. T. Golden nee Beaty Sartwell was summoned here yesterday on account of the serious illness of her father.

Are we going to have a Fourth of July celebration in Smethport this year? If not is time to commence preparations.

There was no service at the M. E. Church last Sunday evening. "Dancing" the subject announced for the evening will be the subject of discourse next Sunday evening.

A Michigan man told his daughter that if she would learn to work he would surprise her. She immediately learned the art, and he surprised her by discharging the hired girl.

Lyman L. Smith, of Howard Hill, wishes to extend his thanks to some strangers in Smethport for favors extended. He says such generous heartedness will not go unrewarded.

If the party who stole the long table that was standing beside the MINER office will return the same no questions will be asked. If not we will place the drawers in the same place so that they can steal them too.

Parties in want of a first class mower or wheel rake will find it to their advantage to call at Mason's and examine his goods and get his prices. Every machine fully warranted, and guaranteed to be as good as any machine made. 25-4t

John Brennan is about the most extensive farmer in this vicinity we should judge from the appearance of his farm, as he has it nearly all ploughed at the present time and we presume that he will keep the plow going till the weather will guarantee planting.

Thursday last while Ed. Taylor was driving a team down Mechanic street the horses became unmanageable and ran away, throwing Ed. out of the wagon in such a manner that the wheels passed over his right leg causing injuries which confine him to the house.

The firm of Specht & Sasse have one of the finest assortments of wall paper to be found. As soon as one supply is exhausted they put in another thereby keeping in stock a continuous line of all the late and handsome patterns. They also keep a general line of furniture. The best room and parlor sets to be found at their store are seldom equalled.

—The circus that was advertised for Saturday last was here and drew a good house, although the entertainment was about as thin as anything that ever traveled under the name of equescurriculum. It's a big name for a mighty small show. One elephant, two spavined camels, five lions, two parrots, three monkeys, a black bear, two blind hyenas and a dead alligator completed the menagerie.

Deer are so plentiful in some portions of Oregon that they have done serious injury to the growing crops, and to keep them away farmers stretch wires around their fields, with bells attached at intervals, the ringing of which awakens the owners at night, enabling them to open fire on such as are not already scared away by the unusual sound. Ducks, geese and trout are also abundant. Verily, a sportsman's paradise—if true.

Shortly before noon Monday as a huge iron column was being raised into position at pier No. 8 of the big bridge near Alton, the gin pole slipped from its fastenings and the column fell, says the *Era*. John Dufrane who stood on a stout sixty feet up was knocked off, but strange to say escaped without broken bones or permanent injuries. Reddy, another workman, saved himself by catching on a guy rope. The massive column struck the edge of the stone pier and was broken square in two, while the masonry was seriously injured. Dufrane will be laid up for some time.

—We are sorry to learn of the serious illness of Mr. Samuel Sartwell. He has been confined to his bed since Sunday.

—This evening there will be given a grand panorama entertainment of the oil regions from the early days of Pithole, to the present time, at the opera house. It is well worth going to see.

Sunday, while going to attend the funeral S. M. Lyman at the Methodist Church, Peter Dougherty in getting out of a wagon stepped on one end of the brake which turned with him as he jumped to the ground, wrenching his leg in such a manner that he thought he would not attend services and started down Church street for home. When in front of the MINER office he accidentally slipped on the wet walk, fell and nearly broke the same leg at the knee joint.

—The following from the Elizabeth, Pa. *Herald*, speaks for itself: We call the attention of our farmer readers and others interests to the market reports of produce, stock, etc., which are furnished us by R. Beatty, Son & Co., Pittsburg. The gentlemen who furnish the reports, being in the business and having their fingers on the pulse of trade, are in a position which enables them to furnish an even more accurate report of the state of trade than those which appear in the daily papers and compiled by reporters. Having telegraphic communication with the leading cities of the country, their facilities for forecasting the probable tendencies of the markets are especially good. The house has excellent advantages for the disposing of all kinds of farm products at best rates.

—Saturday last as the morning train was coming down to Smethport from Clermont, it met with quite a serious accident. When near Hamlin station three horses were discovered on the track, and the engineer at once blew the whistle to put on brakes and to frighten the horses off the track. The brakes were applied and the animals started down the track on a run, with the train after them. There is considerable grade at this point and as there was a heavy train it was impossible to stop it. The horses ran into a trestle, got fast among the timbers and the train ran over and killed them, at the same time throwing the engine and three loaded cars off the track. The owners of the horses were C. C. Gallup and S. M. Rifle. Mr. Rifle had an insurance of $100 on the horse he lost. Business on the road was suspended until late in the afternoon.

A. O. U. W.

At a meeting of the Ancient Order United Workmen held at their parlors on Tuesday evening last the following officers were elected:

P. M. W., S. J. Gifford; M. W., Frank Kerns; Foreman, Chris. Sherrer; O., Warley Gifford; Recorder, F. O. Pierce; Receiver, F. O. Richmond; Financier, T. V. Powell; Guide, D. F. Keefe; I. W., Frank Ogilvie; O. W., F. J. Vickery; Trustee, W. F. Specht; Med. Examiner, Dr. H. L. McCoy.

How to Cook Rice.

Rice is becoming a much more popular article of food than heretofore. It is frequently substituted for potatoes at the chief meal of the day, being more nutritious and much more readily digested. At its present cost, it is relatively cheaper than potatoes, oatmeal or grain grits of any kind. In preparing it only just enough cold water should be poured on to prevent the rice from burning at the bottom of the pot, which should have a close fitting cover, and with a moderate fire the rice is steamed rather than boiled until it is nearly done, then the cover is taken off, the surplus steam and moisture allowed to escape, and the rice turns out a mass of snow white kernels, each separate from the other, and as much superior to the usual soggy mass, as a fine mealy potato is superior to the water-soaked article.

Death of Silas M. Lyman.

Saturday morning last at six o'clock Silas M. Lyman breathed his last, aged fifty years and eleven months. He had been confined to his house only about one week, and for a time it was thought he would recover, but he commenced getting worse and all hopes of his life being spared were given up by his family and friends, and he finally breathed his last as above stated. Pneumonia was the cause of his death. The deceased was well known in this and Potter Counties, and possessed many warm qualifications which endeared him to a large circle of friends and relatives. Since he took up his residence in Smethport he has carried on the business of boot and shoe making. He leaves a wife and three children. Mr. Lyman was a member of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, and his family will receive two thousand dollars from the order. The funeral services took place at the M. E. Church on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, and was largely attended. The A. O. U. W. society being present in a body. The remains were interred in Rose Hill cemetery.

A Ghastly History.

A record of circumstantial evidence and judicial murder is furnished in the story of the trial and execution of Willis Washam, Greene county, Mo., for the murder of his 12 year-old son. The evidence showed that one morning the two went out fishing together; that later the father was seen dragging the lifeless body of his son out of the water; that just at that moment, Mrs. Washam, rushed up to him and accused him of murder. He denied it. The jury believed, however, that in a fit of anger, to which he was subject, he hit his son on the head, knocking him into the water, where he was drowned. His declaration that he had been up the river, leaving the lad behind alone, and on his return found him dead was not credited. Washam was hung, not by Sheriff Campbell, who believed him innocent and resigned, but by Sheriff Fullbright, appointed to the vacancy. Nothing startling was developed in the case until many years later. On her death-bed Mrs. Washam, who had been criminally intimate, before and after her husband's execution with a man in the neighborhood, made a confession. She said that it was she who murdered the boy. She had followed them to the river and, seeing her husband leave him, knocked him into the water with an oar. Her motive was to leave the crime fastened to her husband, to see him hung, and then marry her paramour. When these facts became known, Fullbright, full of remorse that he had hung an innocent man, committed suicide.

CLOSED TO TRAVELERS.

A CURIOUS STRIKE OF THE WELLSBORO TAVERN KEEPERS.

A most curious strike was inaugurated in Wellsboro, Tioga county, Pa., a week or ten days since. Every hotel keeper but one closed his house to the public, and in some instances the doors and windows have been nailed up, as notice that entertainment is no longer furnished for man and beast. The permanent guests were compelled to shift for themselves, and travelers must find food and lodging as best they can.

The cause of the trouble is the refusal of the court to grant licenses to the hotels. The temperance folks long ago determined to make an effort to close the bars of the town, and during the fall and winter evidence of violations of the law was collected against all the hotel keepers in the town. When the usual yearly applications for a renewal of licenses was made at the session of court last week, a remonstrance was presented against all of them, containing more than 900 names. Of these, more than 500 were ladies, many of them the wives and daughters of the best known citizens. The hotel keepers were represented by Mortimer Elliott, a young and brilliant Democratic lawyer, while Major George W. Merrick, the Independent Republican candidate for Secretary of Internal Affairs, had charge of the case for the ladies who signed the remonstrance. The scene in court was a memorable one. Mr. Elliott selected his best case, but it was soon discovered that the evidence of infractions of the law was so complete that the court would have to refuse a license. Mr. Elliott then changed his base and made an elaborate argument as to the legal status of the remonstrance, holding that the law could only regard the signatures of men and voters, and that the action of the ladies should not have any weight. Major Merrick made an eloquent speech in reply. More than two hundred of the ladies were in court, and, encouraged by their presence, he made a strong argument for them. There being little doubt as to the action of the court, the application for the petition was withdrawn before the action of the court upon it.

The hotel keepers then gave notice that they would close their houses, and they hoped that the inconvenience of the action would cause a revulsion of popular feeling and compel the granting of the licenses. The people, however, have taken the matter very coolly, and for nearly ten days this town of nearly 3,000 people has got along with but one hotel and without any bar. The only place that any liquid stimulant can be purchased is at the brewery, which is inconveniently located for the frequently thirsty. There has been some talk about the railroad company taking off the passenger cars, and all sorts of predictions of the town's business being destroyed, but the majority of the people seem to be happy, and the ladies are entirely satisfied with their victory.—*Philadelphia Press.*

CORRESPONDENCE.

ITEMS OF INTEREST COLLATED FOR THE MINER.

Alton.

During the past few days the rain has met our roads and mud flies in all directions from the different vehicles.

The engineers of the R. & P. R. R. claim that three favorable lines are now open for the company, but just which one they may adopt is the leading question. However, they will not pass here without our knowing it. Graders are at work south of Bradford and if they continue they will soon reach Big Shanty. The next important point south of Big Shanty is Alton. A place noted for its large hotel, its coal and lumber supplies and oil products. Lafayette township, in no distance day, is destined to be ahead of any yet in our county. Its great railroad advantages and splendid drainage make it a most advantageous place for almost any kind of industry.

OLD CITIZEN.

Horse Thief at Large.

Saturday, May 20th, a man named Henry Helm, of Gowanda, N. Y., drove into town and stopped at F. O. Wright's feed stable, and wanted to trade horses with Mr. Wright. Always ready for a trade, when he thinks he can "down his man," Frank traded, and Helm left town. Affairs passed off smoothly for a few days when another man came along looking for a horse that had been stolen from him by a brother. He found it. The horse that Frank Wright had traded for and got was the one Helm No. 2 was looking for. Mr. Helm commenced proceedings, before Squire Ford to recover the animal, and on Tuesday last it was thought best by Mr. Wright's attorney to return the property to its rightful owner, rather than take the matter into court and make costs which he would have to pay in the end. Now, what "Shorty" wants to know is "How much did I make out of that hoss trade?"

Henry Helm, the thief, was working for his brother in Gowanda bottling beer when he stole the horse and is between twenty-five and thirty years old, about five feet eight inches in height, dark complexion, black mustache and small side whiskers, with a scar on his right cheek. He was last heard from in Olean.

Sold by Sheriff.

Sheriff Wilcox disposed of the following property last week:

Part of lot No. 48, in Bradford, with dwelling thereon, property of Daniel Clark and T. W. Loge, sold at suit of S. O. Daggett et al., to U. S. Johnson for $668.05.

About twenty-two acres of land in Liberty township, property of Patrick McCabe, at suit of Simon Byrne, to plaintiff for $33.

Picard House, Smethport, to D. Sterrett, Esq., for $35.

About 121 acres of land in Foster township, four dwellings and other buildings thereon, property of Phillip Hooker, at suit of Sarah Ann Hooker, to plaintiff for $100.

Twenty-five acres of land in Eldred township, property of Spencer Carey, at suit of W. V. Keating et al. to B. D. Hamlin.

About twenty-five acres of land in Eldred township, property of J. E. Stull, at suit of W. V. Keating, et. al. to D. B. Hamlin for $50.

About twenty-seven acres of land in Eldred township, property of J. E. Stull, at suit of W. V. Keating, et al. to John M. Gensler for $240.

About thirty-four acres of land in Eldred township, property of John and J. E. Stull, at suit of W. V. Keating et. al. to B. D. Hamlin for $200.

Small tract of land with dwelling, etc., thereon in Norwich township, property of G. W. Windsor, at suit of C. S. King, to C. S. King for $20.

Lot and dwelling in Kane, property of D. V. Crossmire, at suit of C. S. Dunning, to T. A. Morrison for $75.

About fifty-four acres of land in Keating township, five dwellings, one store, etc., thereon of Adam Brockham, at suit of H. Hamlin, to G. W. Mason for $1,150.

Portion of square No. 80, Smethport borough; dwellings, etc., thereon; property of G. C. Kidder, at suit of M. A. Sprague, to Mary A Sartwell for $100.

Parts of lots Nos. 3, 133 and 139, in Bradford, dwelling, etc., thereon; property of K. Gorman, at suit of J. B. Chapman, to plaintiff for $50.

About thirty-seven acres of land in Eldred township, dwelling, etc., thereon; property of J. Monroe Childs, at suit of W. V. Keating, et. al., to executors of A. N. Taylor, deceased, for $100.

Dwelling on lot No. 50 Walker avenue, Bradford, property of W. R. Hand, at suit of John Sweeney to plaintiff for $20.

Lot No. 6 on Chautauqua street, Bradford, property of Helen D. Shields, at suit of McDougall, Avery & Co., to H. E. Hequembourg, A. J. Avery and McDougall for $100.

LABORERS ON THE PINE CREEK RAILWAY.

THE ITALIANS—HOW THEY LIVE—SOME OF THEIR CHARACTERISTICS.

A large number of laborers have passed through this borough during the past few weeks to work on the Pine Creek railway, and there are now more than 1,000 of them engaged upon the work in this county. The bulk of the men are Italians, and so many dusky forms of foreigners on our streets excite unusual interest among the citizens of the village. The men are almost universally under sized, and their dark, sun browned complexions are a noticeable feature. They are burdened with very little baggage except their umbrellas. Almost every Italian carries an umbrella with him on going to and coming from his work, and everywhere else, rain or shine. The natives of sunny Italy seem to have no relish for rain water.

These people live very cheaply, and it may be of interest to our readers to know how they subsist. They are of a clannish set, and like to keep together in their work as much as possible. Six or eight form a mess, and one of the number is selected to prepare the food, which consists principally of bread and macaroni. The macaroni is prepared as follows. The cook is provided with a smooth board and rolling pin. He makes a dough of flour and water only, and rolls it out as the housewife would for pie crust, except instead of rolling it flat the dough winds spirally around the rolling pin. He then pulls the pin out and cuts narrow slices or coils from the end of the dough and drops it into hot water to cook. This, with the bread, makes up the ordinary meal. The men sit around the kettle and fish out the macaroni, and then throw back their heads and down it goes. One who has seen them at their meal says a mess sitting on the ground eating macaroni reminded him of a nest of young robins gaping for worms. There is a look of sweet satisfaction on their faces, as they drop the macaroni down their throats, that is interesting to behold. These Italians are exceedingly filthy regarding the preparation of their food, as well as in their personal appearance. It is no uncommon sight to see several persons eating from the same dish. The kneading boards are never washed, and the board is set outside the hut until it is wanted again.

An Italian will buy a loaf of bread and a smoked herring, cut a hole in the loaf and tuck the herring safely inside, there to remain until the bread is thoroughly impregnated with the smoky taste from the fish. One loaf of bread and a single herring often constitute a day's rations.

Drunkenness and the use of ardent spirits are something that the Italians generally become addicted to after coming upon American soil. They may be accustomed to the use of the light wines of their native land; but the rot-gut, fighting whisky of this country is something that they have to educate their stomachs to appreciate.

The laborers appear to be a peaceable, orderly and well behaved set. The contractors say that while they may not do as much work in a day as some other classes of workmen, yet they are docile and are not forever brewing a mutiny or a strike.—*Wellsboro Agitator.*

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

LICENSES GRANTED AND OTHER BUSINESS TRANSACTED UP TO THURSDAY NOON.

BRADFORD—S. S. Woodbury, tavern, First ward, withdrawn.

O. W. Eddy, wholesale, refused.

Charles Chamberlain, Riddell House, granted.

Fred Heckel, eating house, First ward granted.

Gallagher & Devine, tavern, First ward, granted.

Wm. H. Rose, eating house, First ward granted.

Charles Draper, tavern, First ward granted.

William McCarthy, tavern, First ward granted.

Irvine & Beck, wholesale, First ward granted.

Thomas McDonald, eating house, First ward, granted.

A. P. Ingersoll, tavern, First ward, granted.

Michael Campbell and J. H. Barnes, tavern, First ward, granted.

Meyer Rothstein, eating house, First ward, granted.

David Lasher, tavern, First ward, granted.

James Rider, tavern, First ward, granted.

J. M. Magee, First ward, refused.

George A. Simmons, wholesale, First ward, continued until June 6, 1882.

H. S. Baldwin, tavern, First ward, refused.

KENDALL—Edward Flynn, eating house, granted.

Barney Gunn, eating house, granted.

Col. B. Adams, eating house, granted.

C. H. Vosburg, tavern, granted.

Pat Mulqueen, tavern, granted.

F. P. White, tavern, granted.

Dowdney & Phipps, tavern, granted.

Fred O'Brock, eating house, granted.

ELDRED—Isaac Briggs, eating house granted.

B. W. Rice, tavern, granted.

Charles M. Coleman, eating house, refused.

DUKE CENTER—W. A. McDowell, tavern, granted.

R. D. Rustwick, eating house, continued till next term.

Clarence M. Rowley, eating house, granted.

Hugh McGuire & Gilbert Adams, eating house, granted.

F. Hubbell, tavern, granted.

AIKEN—E. J. Cassidy, tavern, withdrawn.

J. H. Crowley, tavern, granted.

Isaac Blakely & M. H. Prosser, eating, house, granted.

ELDRED TOWNSHIP—Thomas P. Mullin, tavern, granted.

DAVIS CITY—J. E. Jones, eating house, refused.

COLEVILLE—Frank Duffy eating house, granted.

P. McCormick, wholesale and retail, granted.

William Kelly, eating house, granted.

KANE—G. W. Jackson, tavern, granted.

George Walker, tavern, granted.

RED ROCK—James Morrison, tavern, granted.

Samuel Hooker, tavern, granted.

DERRICK CITY—James McCrew, tavern granted.

O. Walker, eating house, granted.

David L. Rose, tavern, granted.

PORT ALLEGANY—S. A. Palmer, tavern, granted.

August Zanner, bottling works, granted.

Stephen C. Sartwell, tavern, granted.

Keron Henkon, wholesale, granted.

SMETHPORT—N. D. Goe, tavern, granted.

W. T. Caller, wholesale, granted.

A. H. Pierce, tavern, granted.

LAFAYETTE—C. H. Moore, tavern, granted.

CLERMONT—John F. Keating, tavern, granted.

DALLAS CITY—A. J. Hanna, tavern, granted.

ALTON—Thos. Lynch, tavern, granted.

RIXFORD—J. M. Armstrong, eating house, granted.

A. A. Saph & G. E. Oliver, eating house, granted.

Frank Dana, tavern, granted.

FOSTER BROOK—E. Maybee & Mary Lankberry, eating house, continued until June 6, 1882.

LEWIS RUN—A. D. Vaughn, tavern, granted.

CUSTER CITY—M. Kelly, tavern granted.

Simon Peiter, tavern, granted.

RIXFORD—W. H. Lucas, eating house granted.

HOWARD HILL—W. W. Brewer, tavern, granted.

BIG SHANTY—G. F. Cuffman, withdrawn.

DEPOLIA—G. W. Lewis, eating house, refused.

LAFAYETTE—George E. Newton & R. E. McIntyre, tavern, granted.

GILLMOR—Lawrence Dana, tavern granted.

A. A. Gillespie vs C. P. Freeman; action for debt. Verdict in favor of plaintiff for $55.53.

Carter & Morton, use of Kerr, Geeder & Co., vs C. D. Clark and H. H. Hallock; assumpsit. Verdict in favor of plaintiffs for $486.48, and verdict in favor of H. H. Hallock on special plea filed by him in said case.

M. C. Geeder vs W. J. McCullough; judgment granted.

Peter Arp vs James Erle; judgment granted.

Nora Hubbard vs Hiram Hubbard, in divorce; alias subpœna awarded.

Hattie A. Pierce vs Rufus P. Pierre, in divorce; alias subpœna awarded.

Elizabeth Kennedy vs Chambers Kennedy; suit withdrawn.

Knoedler, Patterson & Co., vs J. C. Wilson and A. H. Borchert; action for debt. Verdict in favor of plaintiffs for $610.87.

Young, Smith, Field & Co. vs J. C. Wilson and A. H. Borchert; action for debt. Verdict in favor of plaintiffs for $198.82.

Deed of assignment from James S. & W. P. Hook to Joseph Post on application and deed committed to the custody of the Prothonotary to be by him kept, pending decree of supreme court and further order of court.

Com. vs P. C. Boyle et al. Defendants and T. Mullen, Jr., held in sum of $500 for appearance at September term.

(For the Miner.)

LOVE AND HATE.

BY J. A. KEFFERY.

I.

Love is the source of all our joys—
The source from which life's pleasures spring;
It is a thing without alloy;
'Tis not a toy
We may destroy;
For 'tis the soul's best offering.

Love is the great connecting link
Fast forged 'twixt friend and friend;
It is a draught the soul may drink
To cool the fire—
The burning ire
Of hasty, fiery-hearted men.

II.

Hate, is the source of misery and woe;
It clouds life's sunshine darkly o'er;
It causes dark, deep trouble here below,
Yes, it is more—
It is the core
Of strife, and war, and battle-gore.

Hate serves a demon-like to crime—
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Trial List.

For First Monday in June, 1882.

1 D K Blaisdell vs A Parrell, dating business as Boundary & Parrell vs A F Heald No 126 September term Case

2 Joseph Hazeltine and Chas Howell trustees in trust for Ruby N Kingsbury vs Asa W Newell Wm E Newell James Newell Chas M Newell No 167 September term 1879 Ejectment

3 Amory Rogers vs Byron Badger No 204 September term 1879 Replevin

4 Gilbert & Merrell Manufg Co vs A F Heald No 208 Sept term 1879 Assumpsit

5 T E Chambers vs O B & W R R Co No 209 Sept term 1879 Case

6 Henry Bros. & Co vs N L Whitman No 205 September term 1879 Assumpsit

7 A W Blackmer vs John Rogers and H W Easton Jr partners as Easton Bros No 685 September term 1879 Assumpsit

8 D M Wright vs R Means and D J Keyes No 688 Sept term 1879 Debt

9 S J Sternberg vs Wilcox & G W Rust partners as Wilcox & Rust No 687 Sept term 1879 Assumpsit

10 Amelia M Simpson and A J Simpson in the right of A M Simpson, wife of said A J Simpson vs Jacob Chumley No 737 Sept term 1879 Ejectment

11 Chas T Dillingham vs E W Fairbell No 703 Sept term 1879 Appeal from Justice Docket

12 Wash Shaw vs J B Taylor No 94 Dec term 1879 Replevin

13 Joseph C Moore vs F A Bates No 170 Dec term 1879 Sci Fa Quare Executionem

14 E R Holcomb use of M L Holcomb No 184 Dec term 1879 Sci Fa to revive etc

15 M C Trout and Stewart Mellor vs S S Fuller and E Richmond and M Lanham No 199 Dec term 1879 Ejectment

16 Wm Mc Ivary and Elias Urquhart doing business under the firm name of McCleary & Urquhart vs Rockford Oil Co No 207 Dec term 1879 Assumpsit

17 Jno Nolan and Peter Harris use of Henry Aggers vs Thos Frothingham No 220 December term 1879 Debt

18 Mrs L A Gray vs W B Chapman No 226 Dec term 1879 Ejectment

19 Frederic Collins Chas H Hutchinson and Harry G Clay trustees vs J A Hall and T Truman No 230 Dec term 1879 Ejectment

20 P Canning vs J G Mead and D Mead No 235 December term 1879 Assumpsit

21 E Urquhart vs Jos Kelley No 236 December term 1879 Appeal from Justice docket

22 Amelia Hodges and Wm Hodges in right of said Amelia Hodges vs Sam'l Boyles and Wm Sawyer 238 Dec term 1879 Debt

23 G I Ormsby and A M Newton doing business as Ormsby & Newton vs Henry D'Olier owner & B H Orth contractor No 239 Dec term 1879 Sci Fa for Mechanics Lien

24 J W Stark vs R Sartwell sheriff of McKean county No 84 Dec term 1879 Trespass

25 L O Cook vs A A F Brown C C Wagner J K Mitchell & G W Mitchell No 671 Dec term 1879 Trespass

26 E A L Roberts and W B Roberts partners as E A L & W B Roberts vs John Forgie and Wm Forgie partners as John A Wm Forgie No 870 Dec term 1879 Assumpsit

27 E A L Roberts and W B Roberts partners as E A L and W B Roberts vs J M Chapin and V W Chapin and Wells Kenyon partners as J M Chapin & Co No 88 Dec term 1879 Assumpsit

28 E A L Roberts and W B Roberts partners as E A L Roberts and W B Roberts vs Wells Kenyon and ——— Walker No 681 Dec term 1879 Assumpsit

29 The Kane Gas & Bluestone Co vs J M Pew No 68 December term 1879 Appeal from Justice docket

30 Edward W Robertson vs Thos Goodall Garretson of Chas Jones No 668 Dec term 1879 Appeal from Justice docket.

List of Traverse Jurors

Drawn in Court of Common Pleas of McKean County to be commenced First Monday of June, A. D. 1882.

Adams, M. L. Corn.
Brown Daniel, Bradford township.
" J. V. Duke Center.
Baldwin & Oil Valley.
Bowker F. W. Smethport.
Brockham Adam, Keating township.
Cauley John, "
Calkins C. D. "
Carpenter Oscar, Eldred township.
Cauley Wm, Lafayette township.
Drake Lorenzo, Bradford township.
Fletcher L. B. Hamlin township.
French A. A. Duke Center.
Fairbanks Rufus, Bradford township.
Gensler J. M. Eldred township.
Getty N. Kendall.
Grimsdale R. S. Liberty township.
Georgia Sam, Eldred township.
Heap John, Lafayette township.
Holley Levi, Corn.
Dean T. H. Liberty township.
James W. D. Bradford.
Leap John, Jr. Eldred township.
Marsh Ezra, "
Morse Henry, Keating township.
Potts John, 1st ward Bradford.
Rice J. J. Eldred township.
Risley Wesley, Hamlin township.
Rice L. L. Eldred township.
Spooner E. J. Bradford city.
Stark vs other H. B. Liberty township.
Tome Philip, Corydon township.
Vickery Frank, Smethport.
Watson W. S. 2d ward Bradford.
Young P. A. 4th ward "
Roberts H. B. Annin township.

A. L. WILCOX, Sheriff.
O. P. Ostrt, } Jury Com'rs
H. C. Gallup, }

ATTEST:
J. R. SMEDLEY, Clerk.
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Notice of Application of Pardon.

To Whom it may Concern:

NOTICE is hereby given, that application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on the Third Tuesday, being the 20th day of June, A. D. 1882, for the pardon of John Bowers, who was at No. 69, May Sessions, A. D. 1882, held in and for McKean county, Pa., convicted of playing and assisting in the Smethport, Bradford & Kinzua Railroad, in said county of McKean.

Geo. H. Hazlett, Atty.

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned for the estate of Belmont Hazlett deceased, late of the boro of Smethport, Pa., all persons indebted to said estate or of the firm of W. m. Hazlett & son are requested to make the same forthwith, and any one having claims against said estate will present the same properly authenticated for settlement to

G. M. SMITH,
Administrator.

LEGAL.

Court Proclamation.

The Hon. HENRY W. WILLIAMS, President Judge, and the Hons. HENRY HAMLIN and P. M. FULLER, Associate Judges of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Court of Common Pleas for the county of McKean, have issued their precepts, bearing date Friday, March 3, 1882, and to me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas at the Court House in the village of Smethport, on Monday, the 5th day of June, 1882, and to continue one week.

Dated at Smethport, May 3, 1882, and the 106th year of the Independence of the United States of America.

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COURT PROCEEDINGS.

FINISHING THE CRIMINAL LIST—SENTENCES.

The account of W H Spiller and W H Able, executors of last will and testament of O L Allen, deceased, confirmed.

Petition of W H Archibald, administrator of estate of George Bradley, deceased confirmed.

In the matter of the estate of William Lavejoy, deceased, confirmed.

Order for road commencing in the Moody valley road, near A O Story's in Eldred township, and running from there to the road running up the south branch of Knapp's Creek near Buxford, in Otto township, confirmed

First and partial account of W H Archibald, administrator of George Bradley, deceased, confirmed.

In the matter of the assignee of Thurston & Eckert for benefit of creditors confirmed.

Final account of T M Bunker, guardian of M E Baldwin, minor child of C W Baldwin, deceased, confirmed.

Estate of James H Kinney, report of guardian as to sale of real estate, confirmed

Petition of Addie Lumpher for Edith Lumpher for appointment of guardian. Addie Lumpher appointed guardian.

Com vs A D Smith Defendant and N O Lovers held in the sum of $200 for defendant's appearance at September term

Com vs R W Clark Defendant discharged.

License petition of J C Fox transferred to J L Andrews and bond approved.

Com vs George A Simmons. Recognizance of defendant and D V Goodrich forfeited and respited until September term.

Com. vs D J Weler, adultery. Verdict of not guilty.

Com. vs Ellie Yeager, fornication. Verdict of not guilty

Com vs Albert Snyder Recognizance of defendant and D A Taylor forfeited

Com vs Wm Anderson Case continued and defendant allowed to give bail in sum of $200 to next term.

In matter of the petition of H M Dyer for discharge under insolvent laws discharged.

Com. vs Michael Quinn, Indecent exposure. Verdict of guilty

Com vs John Jones larceny. Verdict of not guilty

Wm Haskill vs S A Backus and J R Craddock Rule to show cause why attachable September term granted

L Emery Jr. & Co vs J W Brower Rule to show cause continued Cudworth appointed

Com vs David Shike Recognizance of defendant and L G Shike forfeited and respited until September session for trial

Com vs Julius Schaffer Recognizance of defendant and A T Sewell forfeited

Com vs Frankie Washington, assault and battery Verdict of guilty

In the case of the Commonwealth vs Henry Rosenthall, charged with arson the jury returned a verdict of not guilty

Com vs Charles Lee, assault and battery. Verdict of guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of $10, costs, and imprisonment in the county jail for thirty days

Geo Phillips, Jeff Hurley and Joseph Gordon, found guilty of assault and battery, were each sentenced to pay a fine of $12 and costs of prosecution.

Com vs W A Clark, larceny of glycerine Verdict of not guilty. Defendant discharged

Com vs John Dempsey, felonious assault. Rule to show cause granted and rule of May 24th withdrawn

Com. vs John Mabry and Frank Fleming, larceny. Verdict of not guilty

Com vs Wm Stanton Recognizance of defendant and S C Sartwell and S M Cummings forfeited and respited until September term.

Com vs Wm Anderson, Recognizance of defendant and A T Sewell taken in sum of $300 for defendant's appearance at September term.

Com. vs A Schuyler. Recognizance of defendant and Marion Aiken forfeited and respited until next term

Com. vs J J Cahill. Recognizance of defendant and C D Longmede forfeited.

Com. vs George A Lane. Recognizance of defendant and Wm E Brown forfeited.

Com. vs Frank Coffin. Defendant and A T Sewell held in the sum of $500 for defendant's appearance at September term.

William Warmcastle vs O W Roberts in equity. Decree as prayed for granted and affidavit of service and bond approved.

Com vs George Dana, John Jacobs prosecutor. Sentenced to pay costs in two cases.

Com. vs W R Bronson: embezzlement. Defendant and Robert King held in sum of $300 for defendant's appearance September term.

Com. vs John Jacobs. Motion granted upon payment of cost on act fa. within ten days

Com. vs Wm Rankin: false pretence. Recognizance of defendant and J E Cutting forfeited and respited until September term.

Com. vs Frankie Washington. Sentenced for assault and battery to pay a fine of five dollars and costs of prosecution.

Com vs S H Cowley, conspiracy. Recognizance of defendant and E J Briggs, George Shaw and L E Hampsher forfeited and respited until September term.

Com vs Wm Rankin, false pretence. Recognizance of defendant and D R Ho rand forfeited and respited until September term.

Com. vs John Orcutt, fraudulently transferring property. Recognizance of defendant and W R Weaver forfeited.

Com. vs John Sidrum: fraudulently destroying written instrument. Recognizance of defendant and Jill Flynn forfeited and respited until next term.

Com. vs John Carwall, assault and battery. Not guilty.

Com. vs W R Taylor. Plead guilty of permitting minors in a billiard room, and sentenced to pay a fine of $40 and costs of prosecution and license for keeping billiard room forfeited.

Com. vs Allen Wilson. Recognizance of defendant and C C Seldon forfeited.

Com. vs C D Rathbiley. Ordered that prosecutor, W E Rumbley, pay costs and defendant discharged.

Com. vs F H Smith, Recognizance of defendant and Willard Hooker forfeited, and respited in two cases.

Com. vs James Sheehan. Recognizance of defendant and S. Cullinen forfeited.

Com. vs H Larrabee. Nolle. pros. on payment of costs in two cases.

Samuel S Latta vs Lois Latta. Decree in divorce granted.

Adjournment list continued until Monday, May 30, 1882.

A VISIT TO NORTHERN GEORGIA.

THE CLIMATE, CROPS, FRUIT AND BUSINESS CITY OF ATLANTA.

M. Quad, of the Detroit *Free Press*, writing from Augusta, Georgia, says:—"What can a farmer do in Northern Georgia?"

"Well, he can buy farming lands for from $8 to $60 per acre. He can buy plows, harrows, wagons, drags, horses clothing and provisions just as cheap as at home. That to begin with. In the North March is a winter month, and a bad one. In Georgia the farmer begins to plow and plant. On the 23d of April potatoes were knee high in Georgia and wheat was heading out. On the first of April many kinds of garden vegetables were ready for the table. On the 25th the strawberries were plenty, and on the 29th the blackberries were in market. A farmer can raise two crops of vegetables here as well as one, and the second will be full as early as our first. There is no cold weather here until about Christmas. January and February are really the only winter months in the South. Northern Georgia has frosts, cold rains, and now and then a skiff of snow, but a Northern man would hardly want an overcoat. The big advantage over the Northern farmer is the climate.

While it won't do to call a Georgia farmer shiftless, he don't take hold as a Western drives. He has all day before him and it's a long time to sundown. Instead of bearing down on the plow handles and breaking a strap now and then he skims along just deep enough to hold the old mule steady. As a consequence he must guano his crops and every pound of guano is so much cash out. The average Georgia farmer had no ambition to get up with the lark. If he gets up with the buzzard he is doing well. Then rope come easy and he is adept in gathering them. Fact is, he is not called upon to plunge around and that keeps his bottom side up before breakfast. He can make an easy living by easy work. Tell him that a Michigander goes into the wilderness and gets his farm by chopping, burning, grubbing and years of hard work from daylight to dark, and the Georgian leans back on his hoe, scratches his head and replies

"Well, now, I decla' I'll be cotched if I have said before, what it is a fact, yo'll in Northern Georgia. Corn does finely, oats, rye and barely turn out splendidly, and potatoes are numerous. The Northern man who comes here to farm wants to raise a variety. Above all, he goes into cotton, which he will to some extent, he should raise corn, oats, wheat and potatoes at the same time. The Georgia farmer runs mostly to cotton and whether the crop is good or bad he has to buy three fifths of what he eats and his live stock consume.

Bear in mind, now, that I have not yet gone below Augusta, nor struck the fruit belt of the State. In Northern Georgia almost every variety of grapes can be raised, and they are a certain yield. Apples are not a success, but plums and pears and peaches make big returns even in off years. On the 25th of April I saw peach trees around Atlanta so loaded down with the young fruit that limbs had to be propped up. Cabbage, lettuce, kale, peas, beans and the like thrive in a manner to make a Northern man rub his eyes for a second look.

The Richmond county watermelon has a reputation all over the South, and that is the county in which Augusta is situated. I rode out to see a little patch of forty-two acres, and it was a sight worth beholding. Before a Northern farmer has planted his seeds, here the vines are running helter skelter over the ground and young melons in sight. Before the war there was neither transportation nor sale for Southern fruits. Last year Augusta shipped from twenty to thirty car loads of melons per day all through the season. There is no off year in melons, and it is a cash down business. Where a man will make $30 on an acre of cotton a melon raiser will make $70. Every year Georgia has doubled her acreage of truck land, and she will go on doubling. She has set out thousands of vineyards, thousands of choice year and plum trees, and has put thousands of acres into strawberries and the money which will come back in five years from this will make cotton growers look melancholy.

Atlanta is a busy, bustling bee hive. Ask them for the ruins which Sherman left and they laughed at you. He burned down a city of 12,000 inhabitants. The Atlanta of to-day has nearer 40,000. Many of the buildings burned were one story wooden affairs. Atlanta's business center to-day is solid brick, and she has blocks which New York would not be ashamed of. An Atlanta man takes you as he finds you. He sizes you up without caring two cents whether you came from Michigan or South Carolina. He doesn't ask you which side you fought on, how you vote, or what religion you profess. If you are there to enter into business, he'll crowd a little closer and make room for you. Northern capital and enterprise has helped to push things and they want more of it. It is amazing how the city has grown and is growing, and one may safely predict that the Gate City is bound to become a powerful commercial center.

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"They talk," said a noted orator "of my astonishing bursts of eloquence, and doubtless imagine it is my genius bubbling over. It is nothing of the sort. I'll tell you how I do it: I select a subject, and study it from the ground up. When I have mastered it fully I write a speech on it. Then I take a walk, and come back, and revise and correct. In a few days I subject it to another pruning, and then recopy it. Next I add the finishing touches, round it off with graceful periods, and commit it to memory. Then I speak it in the fields, in my father's lawn, and before my mirror, until gesture and delivery are perfect. It sometimes takes me six weeks or two months to get up a speech. When I have one prepared I come to town. I generally select a court day, when there is sure to be a crowd. I am called on for a speech, and am permitted to select my own subject. I speak my piece. It astonishes the people, as I intended it should, and they go away, marvelling at my power of oratory. They call it genius, but it is the hardest kind of work."

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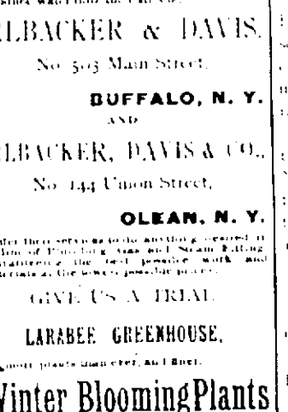

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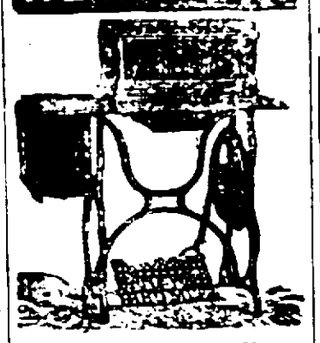

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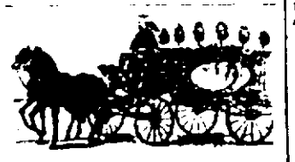

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2 37	8 46	Fristoe	11 42 5 01
2 23	8 32	Farmers Valley	11 27 4 47
2 16	8 22	Smethport	11 17 4 37
1 59	8 05	Crosby	11 00 4 20
1 47	7 54	Lafayette	10 48 4 08
1 44	7 50	Hamlin	10 45 4 04
1 37	7 36	Wetmore	10 37 3 57
1 25	7 28	Clermont	10 25 3 45

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SOUTHWARD TRAINS. STATIONS.	1	3	5	7
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Bradford, Dep	7 30	9 45	1 45	5 45
Erie Crossing	7 35	9 50	1 50	5 50
Tarport	7 50	10 01	2 00	6 05
Chapin	7 55	10 07	2 06	6 11
Hazlewood	7 58	10 10	2 09	6 14
Dorset	8 05	10 17	2 16	6 21
Taylor	8 07	10 19	2 18	6 23
Maplewood	8 12	10 24	2 23	6 28
Kinzua Junction	8 20	10 32	2 31	6 36
Mt. Jewett	8 30	10 42	2 41	6 46
Kane	8 40	10 52	2 51	6 56
Ormsby	8 45	10 57	2 56	7 01
Smethport, Ar	9 00	11 15	3 15	7 20

NORTHWARD TRAINS. STATIONS.	2	4	6	8
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Smethport, Dep	6 30	9 15	1 15	6 45
Ormsby's	6 45	9 30	1 30	7 00
Kane	7 00	9 45	1 45	7 15
Mt. Jewett	7 10	9 55	1 55	7 25
Kinzua Junction	7 20	10 05	2 05	7 35
Maplewood	7 30	10 15	2 15	7 45
Taylor	7 35	10 20	2 20	7 50
Dorset	7 37	10 22	2 22	7 52
Hazlewood	7 44	10 29	2 29	7 59
Chapin	7 47	10 32	2 32	8 02
Tarport	7 52	10 37	2 37	8 07
Erie Crossing	8 07	10 52	2 52	8 22
Bradford, Ar	8 20	11 10	3 10	8 40

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Lv.		Ar.
A.M. P.M.		A.M. P.M.
8 15 12 45	Buffalo	7 30 2 30
8 05 12 35	Wheeler	7 40 2 40
7 55 12 25	Spring Brook	7 50 2 50
7 45 12 15	Alden	8 00 3 00
7 35 12 05	Lawtons	8 10 3 10
7 25 11 55	East Aurora	8 20 3 20
7 15 11 45	Wales	8 30 3 30
7 05 11 35	Holland	8 40 3 40
6 55 11 25	Protection	8 50 3 50
6 45 11 15	Ar. N. Y. L. E. & W. Lv.	9 00 4 00
6 35 11 05	Limeville	9 10 4 10
6 25 10 55	Lancaster	9 20 4 20
6 15 10 45	Cheektowaga	9 30 4 30
6 05 10 35	Buffalo, Ar.	9 40 4 40
6 00 10 30	Buffalo, Lv.	9 45 4 45
5 50 10 20	Tonawanda	9 55 4 55
5 40 10 10	Akron	10 05 5 05
5 30 10 00	Clarence	10 15 5 15
5 20 9 50	Williamsville	10 25 5 25
5 10 9 40	Eden	10 35 5 35
5 00 9 30	Boston	10 45 5 45
4 50 9 20	Hamburg	10 55 5 55
4 40 9 10	Lake View	11 05 6 05
4 30 9 00	Woodlawn	11 15 6 15
4 20 8 50	Gowanda	11 25 6 25
4 10 8 40	Ellicott	11 35 6 35
4 00 8 30	Jamestown	11 45 6 45
3 50 8 20	Sartwell	11 55 6 55
3 40 8 10	Turtle Point	12 05 7 05
3 30 8 00	Port Allegany	12 15 7 15
3 20 7 50	Liberty	12 25 7 25
3 10 7 40	Shinglehouse	12 35 7 35
3 00 7 30	Shippen	12 45 7 45
2 50 7 20	Emporium	12 55 7 55
P.M. A.M.		A.M. P.M.

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